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House Resolution 663

By: Representatives Jackson of the 161st, Bryant of the 160th, Bordeaux of the 162nd, and Williams of the 165th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Dr. Apostle Idell Cheever; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, on August 18, 2004, Our Brother's Keeper in Savannah held an awards
- 3 ceremony to recognize and honor men and women who helped compile an unparalleled
- 4 legacy of more than 40 years of good work and service rendered to the community; and
- 5 WHEREAS, among the names of honorees was that of Dr. Apostle Idell Cheever, a native
- 6 of Savannah, Georgia, and Overseer of the Pentecostal Miracle Deliverance International
- 7 Ministry, which was founded with three people in her home; and
- 8 WHEREAS, she received her BA (Born Again) Degree in May, 1961, and an honorary
- 9 degree from Jacksonville Theological Seminary in July, 1995, and she and her beloved late
- 10 husband, Bishop Christopher C. Cheever, were married for 55 years and had five children
- in addition to her hundreds of spiritual children; and
- 12 WHEREAS, over the years, the Lord has blessed her ministry with churches in Georgia,
- 13 Florida, South Carolina, and Jamaica, W.I, as well as an evangelistic ministry, a Bible
- 14 college, nursing home, prison, and street ministries, and other ministries too numerous to list.
- 15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 16 the members of this body recognize Dr. Apostle Idell Cheever as a giant of community
- 17 service and commend her many years of action on behalf of her fellows.
- 18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Dr. Apostle Idell Cheever.